GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6670
ANSWERED ON:08.05.2003
ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION FOR RAIL PROJECTS IN BIHAR
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been huge increase in the expenditure of on-going rail projects in Bihar;

(b) whether the Government of Bihar has made any demand for additional allocation for various rail projects in the State;

(c) if so, the quantum of funds sanctioned for the said projects, project-wise; and

(d) the time by which these projects are likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (d): A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 6670 BY SHRI RAJO SINC BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 08-05-2003 REGARDING ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION FOR RAIL PROJECTS IN BIHAR.

(a) & (b): No, Sir.

(c)& (d) : The details of outlay for 2003-2004 and target dates for completion of on-going Railway projects wherever fixed, in Bihar are given as under:-

Name of Project	Outlay for 2003-2004 (Rs. in crores)	Target date for completion
NEW LINES		
1. Ara-Sasaram	16.00	Sasaram-Nokha in 2003-2004
2. Deogarh-Sultanganj including Material Modification Ext from Banka-Barahat and Banka-Bhitiah Road	9.00	Not yet fixed
3. Duraunda-Maharajganj	1.00	Work completed
4. Fatuha-Islampur -Restoration with Material Modification for new line from Biharsharif-Barbigha	12.00	Fatuha-Islampur line completed and commissioned
5. Khagaria-Kusheshwarsthan	2.00	Not yet fixed
6. Koderma-Tilaiya	15.00	Targeted for completion during 2005-2006

7 Kosi Bridge	10.00	New work included in Budget 2003-2004
8. Mandarhill-Rampurhat via Dumka	10.00	Rampurhat-Dumka by 2006-2007
9. Munger-Rail Bridge on Ganga	30.00	Not yet fixed.
10. Muzaffarpur-Sitamarhi	12.00	Not yet fixed.
11. Patna-Ganga bridge with linking lines between Patna and Hajipur	50.00	2007-2008.
12. Rajgir-Hisua-Tilaiya	12.00	2005-2006
13. Sakri-Hassanpur	10.00	Not yet fixed.

GAUGE CONVERSION

1. Chhapra-Aunrihar	0.01	Completed and commissioned
2. Hajipur-Bachwara	0.01	Completed and commissioned
3. Jayanagar-Darbhanga-Narkatiaganj	18.00	Not yet fixed.
4. Kaptanganj-Thave-Siwan-Chhapra	10.00	Not yet fixed.
5. Katihar-Jogbani (including Katihar-Radhikapur)	21.00	Targeted for completion in 2005
6. Mansi-Saharsa incl. Material Modification for extension upto Dauram Madhepura	16.00	Mansi-Saharsa targeted for completion in 2004.
7 Narkatiaganj-Valmikinagar	0.06	Completed and commissioned
8. Raxaul-Birganj	0.01	Completed and commissioned
9. Samastipur-Darbhanga	0.01	Completed and commissioned
10. Samastipur-Khagaria	5.00	Not yet fixed.

Doubling

1. Barauni-Tilrath Bypass	1.00	New work included in Budget 2003-2004
2. Chhapra-Hajipur	8.00	Not yet fixed.
3. Gaya-Chakhand	2.00	2004-2005.
4. Jahanabad-Bela	1.00	New work included in Budget 2003-2004

5. Kajra-Kiul	2.56	Not yet fixed.
6. Karpurigram-Siho	7.00	Siho-Dholi completed.Balance section targeted for completion in 2003-2004
7 Katihar-Semapur	2.00	Not yet fixed
8. Kishanganj-Dalkolha	0.01	Completed and commissioned
9. Mansi-Maheshkhunt	1.00	New work included in Budget 2003-2004
10. Parsa Bazar-Punpun (Patna-Gaya,Phase-II)	1.00	Work completed.
11. Patna-Parsa Bazar (Patna-Gaya, Phase-I)	0.03	Completed and commissioned
12. Punpun-Taregna(Patna-Gaya, Phase-III)	5.00	Targeted for completion during 2003-2004
13. Sahibganj-New Farakka-Malda	0.01	Completed and commissioned
14. Sonenagar-Mugalsarai	0.01	Completed and commissioned
15. Taregna-Jahanabad	2.00	Not yet fixed.

ELECTRIFICATION

1. Patna-Gaya	5.50	June 2003.
2.Sitarampur-Danapur-Mugalsarai	1.45	Work completed.